

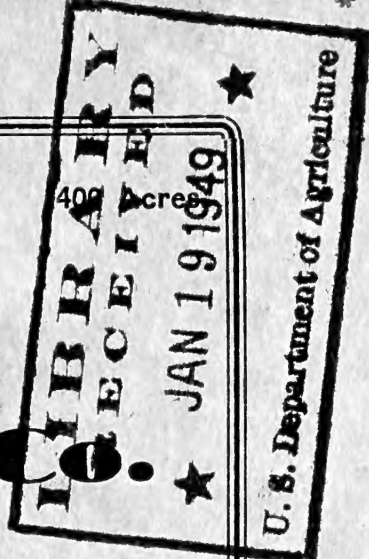
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# **MAY Nursery Co.**



**"THE YAKIMA NURSERIES"**  
YAKIMA, WASHINGTON

Growers of Choice Yakima Valley  
Nursery Stock

## **PRICE LIST**



MEMBER OF  
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF NURSERYMEN

### **PROPAGATING WOOD**

used for the production of our stone fruit  
trees is carefully selected from vigorous,  
virus-free trees.

## **COMPLETE STOCKS**

Shade & Ornamental Trees  
Fruit Trees    Small Fruits    Nut Trees  
Flowering Shrubs  
Vines    Evergreens    Roses  
Seeds

# GUARANTEE

**WE GUARANTEE** all nursery stock sold by us to be true to name, otherwise we will replace free or refund the purchase price, at the option of the purchaser.

We guarantee all stock to be free from insect pests or plant disease.

We guarantee all nursery stock shipped by us to be of first quality and in good, live growing condition when it reaches you.

Our stock is carefully handled, has vitality and under ordinary conditions will grow. However, any complaint about failure to start growth must be made in writing, direct to our office by August 1st.

**Shipping Season**—Our shipping season begins about October 25th and continues until late spring. Where planting conditions are favorable, and if customer requests, we can make shipments in mid-winter.

## WE PAY FREIGHT and SHIPPING CHARGES

We pay shipping charges on all stock to any point West of the Rocky Mountains and we prepay  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the shipping charges East of the Rocky Mountains.

**Parcel Post Shipments.**— It is sometimes necessary to cut back tops of trees to comply with parcel post regulations for maximum measurement of parcels. This does not injure the trees, as tops should be pruned back before planting.

**Sales Tax** — If you live in the State of Washington add 3 per cent Sales tax.

## NUMBER OF TREES OR PLANTS FOR AN ACRE OF GROUND—SET AT REGULAR DISTANCES APART

40 feet apart each way .....	28
30 feet apart each way .....	48
20 feet apart each way .....	110
18 feet apart each way .....	135
15 feet apart each way .....	205
12 feet apart each way .....	300
10 feet apart each way .....	435
8 feet apart each way .....	680
6 feet apart each way .....	1210
5 feet apart each way .....	1745
4 feet apart each way .....	2725
3 feet apart each way .....	4840

## TABLE OF DISTANCE FOR PLANTING

Apples, standard 30 to 40 ft.	Nectarines, 16 to 18 ft.
Pears, standard, 20 to 25 ft.	Quinces, 12 ft.
Pears, dwarf, 15 ft.	Currants, 3 to 4 ft.
Cherries, Sour, 18 to 20 ft.	Gooseberries, 3 to 4 ft.
Cherries, Sweet, 30 to 40 ft.	Raspberries, 3 to 4 ft.
Plums, 16 to 18 ft.	Strawberries, $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 ft.
Peaches 16 to 20 ft.	Grapes, 8 to 10 ft.
Apricots, 16 to 20 ft.	Blackberries, 6 to 8 ft.

**RULE:**—To estimate the number of plants required for an acre at any given distance, multiply the distance between the rows by the distance between the plants, which will give the number of square feet allotted each plant, and divide the number of square feet in an acre (43,560 by this number and the quotient will be the number of plants required.

## FRUIT TREES

WRITE FOR PRICES IN LARGER QUANTITIES

Note: The quantity rate on fruit trees applies to the total number of trees ordered. Example: 5 Apple, 3 Pear, 4 Apricot, would take the "Dozen Rate."

If Interested in Larger quantities Please Write

THE FOLLOWING PRICES APPLY ON APPLE, PEAR, CRAB APPLE, PLUMS & PRUNES, PEACHES, APRICOTS, CHERRIES & NECTARINES, EXCEPT WHERE NOTED

	Ea.	Doz. Ea.
5 to 6 ft. Selected Grade .....	\$1.75	\$1.50
4 to 6 ft. ....	1.50	1.25
3 to 4 ft. ....	1.25	1.00

All varieties marked with asterisk (\*) do well west of the Cascade mountains. All fruit trees listed in order of their ripening.

### Apples

#### SUMMER VARIETIES

**Early Harvest**—Medium size, yellow skin, fine, July.

**Golden Sweet**—Large; pale yellow; very sweet and good. August.

**Lodi**—Sport of Yellow Transparent. Same quality, red skin.

**Red Astrachan**—Red, juicy, acid, hardy, prolific. July.

**Red June**—Medium size, red, good quality, hardy. July

**\*Yellow Transparent**—Medium, pale yellow, fine flavor, dessert and cooking.

#### FALL VARIETIES

**Bellflower**—Very large, yellow with blush, tart, juicy.

**Fameuse (Snow)**—Red, juicy, crisp, good eating, hardy.

**\*Gravenstein**—Large, striped, tender, juicy, high flavor. One of the best varieties west of the Cascades.

**\*Red Gravenstein**—Solid red strain of Gravenstein.

#### WINTER VARIETIES

**Blackjon**—(T.M. Reg.)—A bud sport or mutation of Jonathan, earlier and more color, deep red. 10c per tree higher.

**\*Delicious (Common)**—Large, red, striped, excellent flavor fragrant aroma, fine eating, best for salads.

**Grimes Golden**—Medium, rich golden yellow, crisp fine flavor.

**Jonathan**—Medium, red striped, rich flavor, unexcelled for pies, good dessert.

### MAY NURSERY STOCK

FROM THE FAMOUS YAKIMA VALLEY

HAS A Nation-wide REPUTATION  
For Vigorous Growth, Hardiness and

EXCELLENT TRANSPLANTING QUALITIES

A 9-month growing season with abundant SUNSHINE and Cool Fall Nights — tempers and hardens MAY NURSERY STOCK and gives it —

EXCELLENT TRANSPLANTING QUALITIES



- \***King**—Very large, yellow, splashed with crimson, excellent dessert, good baker. One of the best varieties west of the Cascades.
- McIntosh Red**—Hardy, medium, red, fine flavor. For high altitude.
- \***Northern Spy**—Fine grained, tender, juicy, hardy, keeps. One of the best varieties west of the Cascades.
- \***Red Delicious**—Solid red type of Delicious, same quality and flavor.
- Red Rome**—Solid red strain of the Rome Beauty.
- \***Red Spy**—Solid red strain of the Northern Spy.
- Red Winesap**—Solid red strain of the Winesap. We have one of the best strains of Red Winesap yet produced—long type.
- R. I. Greening**—Large, greenish-yellow, juicy and tender.
- Rome Beauty**—Large, yellow, striped with red, fine, juicy, unexcelled for baking.
- Spitzenberg**—Medium to large, deep red, excellent flavor, an old favorite.
- Stayman Winesap**—Large, striped and splashed with dark crimson, splendid quality, heavy bearer.
- Wagener**—One of the best winter apples. Hardy, thrifty early and abundant bearer.
- \***Wealthy**—Large, bright red, tart, very good.
- W. W. Pearmain**—Pale yellow, fine flavor, good keeper.
- Winesap**—Dark red, sub-acid, best market, good keeper.
- \***Winter Banana**—Large, clear waxy yellow with blush, tart flavor, good cooking.
- Yellow Newtown (Pippin)**—One of the best keepers, golden yellow, good quality.
- \***Yellow Delicious**—Resembles Grimes Golden somewhat in shape, color and quality. Excellent cooker and fine for dessert.

## Crab Apples

- \***Hyslop**—Large, dark red, or purplish, good keeper.
- \***Transcendent**—Large, red and yellow striped, good eating and cooking.
- Whitney**—Large, glossy, striped with carmine, juicy, pleasant flavor.

## NORWAY MAPLE

CRIMSON KING --- NEW!  
(Patent No. 735)

This new strain of Norway Maple retains its crimson color throughout the whole season. Somewhat darker than the Schwedleri; should be a very valuable asset to any planting due to the striking color of its leaves.

Price: 7-8 ft. whips --- \$6.00 each

### MAY NURSERY STOCK ---

From the Famous Yakima Valley has a nation-wide reputation for Vigorous Growth, Hardiness and Excellent Transplanting Qualities

## Pears

(Budded on French Root Stock)

- \***Clapp's Favorite**—Large, resembling Bartlett, excellent flavor, sweet. Desirable for the home orchard.
- \***Bartlett**—Large clear yellow, juicy, buttery, dessert, cooking and canning.
- \***Flemish Beauty**—Large, white flesh.
- \***B. d'Anjou**—A firm pear, rather large, flesh yellowish-white, rich buttery flavor, good keeper. One of the leading commercial pears.
- \***Comice**—Fine, melting, buttery, juicy and sweet.
- \***Seckel**—Small, brown, red cheek, sweet, juicy, melting. A good pickling pear.
- \***B. Bosc**—Large, cinnamon Russet, long neck, juicy, excellent. High quality.
- \***B. Easter**—Large, yellow with red cheek, juicy and sweet—used to pollinize the Anjou.
- \***Winter Nellis**—Delicious, sweet, very fine, good keeper.
- \***Winter Bartlett**—Large resembling Bartlett, later, good west of the Cascades.

## Dwarf Pears

**Red Bartlett**— 5 to 6 ft. \$2.50 each.

**Bartlett**— 5 to 6 ft. \$1.50 each.

**B. d'Anjou**—5 to 6 ft. each \$1.50.

## Plums

- Beauty**—Japanese plum. Early, medium size, red, good quality used to pollinize Santa Rosa.
- Climax**—Very large, heart-shaped, deep red, good shipper.
- Wild Plum**—Native of Oregon. Selected strain, very hardy, prolific bearer, high quality plum to eat out of hand and excellent for marmalade and butter.
- Santa Rosa**—Probably the best of all the Japanese Plums. Large reddish to purple. Good shipper, good quality and good bearer.
- \***Peach**—Light red skin, large, round, good for home garden.
- Satsuma**—Japanese Plum. Blood red flesh, pleasant, juicy.
- Burbank**—Japanese Plum. Vigorous, red, juicy, sweet, yellow flesh.
- \***Bradshaw**—Large dark red, flesh green. Excellent for eating fresh.
- \***Yakima**—Very large, egg-shaped, red, good shipper.
- \***Yellow Egg**—Large, egg-shaped, yellow, good canner.
- \***Blue Damson**—Small, roundish oval, dark purple, fine canner. Preserves.
- Green Gage**—Fruit large, greenish yellow, flavor excellent.
- \***Coe's Golden**—(European type)—Large and handsome,—light yellow, firm, rich, sweet. One of the best late Plums.

## Prunes

- \***Tragedy**—The best early Prune, a favorite. High quality dark purple with yellowish-green flesh, firm, sweet, and highly flavored.
- \***Early Italian**—(Richards strain)—Slightly larger and sweeter than the Italian Prune. Two weeks earlier. Good commercial variety. A sport of the Italian.

- Weatherspoon**—Seedling of the Italian, ripens same time as Richards strain of Early Italian, large, high quality, heavy bearer when pollenized with Richard's strain of Early Italian.
- \*Sugar**—Very large, oval, dark purple, tender, sweet particularly fine for home drying and canning.
- \*Hungarian**—Very large, bright red, market and home use.
- \*French**—Medium, fine texture, sweet drying.
- \*Date**—An improved type of the French Prune. Larger than the French with a heavier sugar content. Good for home use.
- \*Silver**—Large and handsome, oval shape, light yellow skin. flesh firm, rich and sweet. Very heavy bearer.
- \*Italian**—Good quality, medium size, purplish black color. The leading variety for market and home use.
- \*Standard**—Large, color purple, flesh amber-colored. Good late Prune for home use.
- President**—Latest ripening Prune. Heavy bearer, high in quality and large fruit. Does not need pollinizer.

## Peaches

- Carman**—Medium, white flesh, good flavor, juicy, good for table use.
- Redhaven**—The best new early Peach we have seen in a good many years; ripens about 30 days ahead of Elberta, golden flesh, fine grained, highly flavored. It colors very early to an almost solid brilliant red; hardy; heavy bearer.
- \*Golden Jubilee—Freestone**—Is similar to Elberta in tree habit and form and appearance of fruit. Good bearer. Hardy. Excellent canning peach. Three weeks before Elberta.
- \*Rochester**—Very hardy, thrifty grower. Medium size, deep yellow and red, excellent quality. Especially good west of the Cascade mountains. Three weeks before Elberta.
- \*Halehaven—Freestone**—Eighteen days before Elberta. Resembles Hale in appearance, colors highly on the tree several days before it is ripe. Hardy, heavy bearer, fine flavor. Good shipper. The best early Peach of all.
- \*Veteran**—One of the new Peaches that is particularly adapted to the climate west of the Cascades. Fruit very uniform in size, yellow flesh; a very high quality peach for both canning and eating.
- Slappy—Freestone**—Yellow, high quality, hardy, excellent canning peach.
- Crawford Early—Freestone**—Large, yellow, good quality. A good home garden peach.
- Redelberta**—(U. S. Plant Pat. No. 232)—A bud sport of the Elberta. A true Elberta in all respects except that it matures about 10 days earlier, and has double the red color. Note prices. 10c per tree higher.
- Early Elberta—Freestone**—Large, golden yellow, excellent quality, good shipper, and good canner.
- Tuscan Cling**—Very large, highly colored, commercial canner.
- Elberta—Freestone**—Best market and canning peach ever produced.
- J. H. Hale—Freestone**—Surpasses Elberta in size and color. Ranks next to Elberta as a commercial Peach.



**Gold Medal**—Very good quality. Flesh deep yellow, firm and sweet, large size. Golden yellow. Dessert, canning, market peach. Hardy. Ripens just after Elberta. Very productive—Freestone.

**Orange Cling**—Large, yellow, rich, excellent flavor.

**Salway—Freestone**—Large, yellow with red cheek. Fair quality. Ripens very late.

## Apricots

**Phelps**—This is one of our own productions. Large, red cheeked. Flesh is firm. Ripens evenly. One week earlier than Moorpark. Good quality.

**Yakimine**—Large, early, handsome, distinctive flavor. Excellent dessert.

**Chinese**—This is one of the new Apricots that shows promise as an early marketing variety. Medium size, yellow, good quality.

**Wenatchee Moorpark**—Large, heavy bearer, good color, the leading market Apricot.

**Blenheim**—Medium size, oval, deep yellow. Good canner, productive, excellent quality.

**Tilton**—Hardy, medium rich, juicy, canner.

**Royal**—Very similar to Blenheim. Ripens approximately the same time; good shipping and canning Apricot; good all-purpose variety.

## Nectarines

**Boston**—Large size, deep yellow with bright blush, sweet.

**Quetta**—Large, yellow green, rich, delightful aroma, excellent quality.

**Gold Mine**—Large, red and yellow fruits, flesh juicy, white. Excellent in flavor and quality. Produces abundantly.

## Cherries

### SWEETS

**Black Tartarian**—Large, purplish black, juicy and rich, certified pollenizer.

**Governor Wood**—Yellow, smaller than Royal Ann, certified pollenizer.

**Royal Ann**—Large, pale yellow with red cheek, firm, juicy and sweet. In demand by canneries. One of the leading commercial varieties.

**Deacon**—Black, resembles Bing, not quite as large. Certified pollenizer.

**Bing**—Large, black, solid, highest quality, productive. The leading commercial varieties of the Sweet Cherries.

**Black Republican**—Medium, shining black, good keeper and shipper, certified pollenizer.

**Lambert**—Dark purplish black, larger than Bing. High quality. Good shipper. Ripens a little later than the Bing.

### SOURS

**Early Richmond**—Medium, rich, juicy, acid, June.

**May Duke**—Hardy, early, medium, juicy, sub-acid.

**Montmorency**—Large hardy, rich, juicy, canner.

**Late Duke**—Large, dark red, sub-acid, late July.

**English Morello**—Medium, dark red, rich, acid, good.

## Quince

Orange—Large, roundish, bright yellow, an old favorite, finest quality. Prices:

	Ea.	Doz. Ea.
3 to 4 ft. ....	1.50	1.25
4 to 6 ft. ....	\$1.75	\$1.50

## Grapes

Two Year—

All Varieties Each 50c    Doz. Ea. 40c    100s Ea. 25c

(Write for prices on Grapes for commercial planting)

American Varieties (Hardy)—Listed in order of ripening.

Fredonia—Black, large, early, hardy, fine flavor.

Moore's Early—Black, large, good bunches, one of the good early grapes.

Brighton—Red, sweet, good quality, vigorous and hardy.

Delaware—Red, small, compact bunches, very sweet.

Campbell's Early—Black, large, sweet, juicy, good for home or market.

Island Belle—Black, large, early, good west of the Cascade mountains.

Niagara—White, large, heavy bearer, excellent table Grape.

Diamond—White, small seeds, heavy bearer, wine grape.

Worden—Black, large, sweet, good for home or market purposes.

Concord—Black, large, very productive. Standard for market.

Catawba—Red, large, dark copper, late, wine grape.

### European Varieties — Medium Hardy

Malaga—White, large, good shipper, good table Grape.

Red Malaga—Large, very crisp, fine table Grape.

Ribier—Black, large, very fine quality.

Muscat—White, musk flavor, excellent quality.

Thompson Seedless—White, seedless, small sweet and good drier.

Flame Tokay—Red, large excellent table grape, good for market.

Zinfandel—Black, most famous wine grape, heavy bearer, very juicy, sweet.

## Strawberries

STRAWBERRY PLANTS ARE CAREFULLY SELECTED FROM DISEASE-FREE FIELDS

Rockhill—Everbearing, large high quality, no runners.

12 .....	\$1.50
25 .....	3.00
50 .....	5.50
100 .....	9.50

Gem—Everbearing, medium size, very sweet, heavy bearer.

25 .....	\$1.25
50 .....	2.25
100 .....	4.00

Marshall—One-crop, high quality, large.

25 .....	\$1.00
50 .....	1.75
100 .....	3.00

(Strawberries continued on next page)

## Strawberries --- continued

**Streamliner**—Everbearing; very large berries, delicious flavor. Uniform size and color; honey sweet.

12	.....	\$1.20
25	.....	2.25
50	.....	4.00
100	.....	7.50

## Currants & Gooseberries

All Varieties Ea. 50c Doz. Ea. 40c

### CURRENTS — 2-Year

**Cherry**—Red, large, good.

**Perfection**—Red, large.

### GOOSEBERRIES — 2-year

**Oregon Champion**—Largest, best commercial variety, free from mildew.

## Youngberries, Loganberries, Boysenberries

Ea. 35c Doz. Ea. 30c

## Blackberries

Price Each 40c Per Doz. \$4.00

**Cascade**—Medium size, sweet, heavy bearer.

**Mercereau**—Hardy, upright, stocky canes, heavy producer, sweet.

## Blueberries

6 to 12 inches Ea. \$1.25 Per Doz. Ea. \$1.15

**Rubel**—Late.

**Pioneer**—Mid-season.

**NOTE:** Blueberries will not bear fruit unless cross-pollenized. It is best to plant at least three, having two varieties—six is best, planted in a group.

## Raspberries, (transplants)

**Cuthbert**—Large, very productive, fine quality, red.

**New Washington**—A fine berry on the West side of the Cascades, firm, red, high quality.

**Latham**—Large, high quality, sweet.

Price Ea. 15c Per Doz. \$1.50

**Indian Summer**—This variety is a large red, prolific everbearing Raspberry. The fruit is of high quality. This Raspberry deserves a place in every garden.

**Sodus Purple Raspberry**—Large, rich purple berries, four times as large as the ordinary black raspberries. Delicious to eat; unexcelled for jams. A cross between the black raspberry and the red raspberry.

Ea. 25c Per Doz. \$2.50

**Cumberland Blackcaps**—

Price Ea. 25c Per Doz. \$2.50

### RHUBARB

**Strawberry** — Ea. 25c Per Doz. Ea. 20c

**Canada Red** —Ea. 75c Per Doz. Ea. 70c

### ASPARAGUS — 2-year

**Paradise**—

**Martha Washington** — \$2.50 per 100 \$20.00 per 1000  
5c Each — Per Doz. 50c

## NUT TREES

ALMONDS	Ea.	Doz. Ea.
4 to 6 ft. ....	\$1.50	\$1.25
3 to 4 ft. ....	1.25	1.00

Nonpareil—Soft shell, high quality.

Texas Prolific—Excellent producer; small, hard shelled; high quality.

Drake's Seedling—Productive, soft shelled, valuable as a pollenizer.

### BUTTERNUT (White Walnut)

3 to 4 ft. ....	1.50
4 to 6 ft. ....	2.00

### CHESTNUT

3 to 4 ft. ....	2.00
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American Sweet—Nuts medium, trees hardy; prolific bearers.

### FILBERTS

3 to 4 ft. ....	1.25	1.00
2 to 3 ft. ....	1.00	.85

Barcelona—Large round.

Duchilly—Large, long nut, superior quality.

Pollenizers—including Daviana, White Aveline, etc.

### WALNUTS, BLACK

3 to 4 ft. ....	1.75	1.50
4 to 6 ft. ....	2.00	1.75

### WALNUTS, FRANQUETTE

Trees grafted from good bearing strains.

4 to 6 ft. ....	3.50
3 to 4 ft. ....	3.00

## RAMSEY PEACH

(Patent Applied for by W. F. Ramsey)

This remarkable new Peach is a cross between the J. H. Hale and the Candoka. Large, highly colored and very free of fuzz. The tree is a strong grower and a heavy bearer and very hardy in the blossom stage. It ripens about ten days later than the Hale, being a high quality, large, red, firm Peach. Its late ripening should be of considerable advantage on the fresh fruit market.

Price 5 to 6 ft. \$2.50

## MacKELVIE APRICOT

N E W ! --- Patent applied for

This is a new Apricot which shows considerable promise and should be planted for testing purposes. High quality, heavy bearer, ripens a few days ahead of the Moorpark, has full color when still firm. Excellent shipper and canner.

Each \$2.50

## SENSATION

NEW (Patent applied for by W. F. Ramsey)

The Sensation Apricot is a seedling discovered at near the 3500 foot level. It is a good grower, withstands drought, very prolific and a true Apricot color. It bears very young and is about ten days later than the Moorpark. It is very sweet and is a good shipper. Each \$2.50

## RED SPORT BARTLETT

Plant Patent No. 741

Originated on the farm of A. D. MacKelvie near Zillah, Washington. Several years ago Mr. MacKelvie discovered a red pear growing on one of his Bartlett trees. He has reproduced this Red Bartlett, and now has young trees in production. The pear has all the characteristics of the Bartlett, except its red-colored skin, which should make it a valuable fresh market variety.

The May Nursery Co., has the propagating rights for this **NEW RED BARTLETT PEAR**, and are offering trees for Fall or Spring delivery.

Price \$2.50 Each

## METZGER APPLE

(Patent Applied For)

Originated by Ludwig Metzger of the University of Washington. This new apple has considerable possibilities in that it has large size, good red color, bears while quite young, is hardy in the blossom stage, and has good keeping qualities for such an early apple. This apple is best to pick about the 15th of August in the Yakima Valley. It comes in at a time when no other good apple is available.

PRICE \$2.50 EACH

## WICKERSHAM PEACH

N E W ! --- Patent applied for

Originated in C. P. Wickersham fruit ranch in Yakima. Large as J. H. Hale, highly colored, heavy bearer, and about one week later than Elberta. Very high quality, excellent canning Peach. --- Price \$2.50 each.

ANY FIVE OF THE ABOVE FOR \$10.00





CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG

(Plant Patent No. 455)  
Each \$1.50, 3 for \$4.00



SHOWGIRL

(Plant Patent No. 646)  
Each \$1.50, 3 for \$4.00



MIRANDY  
(Plant Patent No. 632)  
Each \$1.50, 3 for \$4.00



SWEET SIXTEEN  
(Plant Patent No. 631)  
Each \$1.50, 3 for \$4.00

## PATENTED ROSES

### CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG — (Plant Patent No. 455)

1941 All-America award winner. Long stem, blood red buds, cerise pink open flowers. Produces an abundance of blooms. **Price \$1.50 each.**

### NOCTURNE—(Plant Patent No. 713)

1948 All-America award winner. Classed as one of the best red roses in the country today. An Armstrong production. **Price \$1.50 each.**

### MIRANDY—(Plant Patent No. 632.)

Armstrong's gorgeous 1945 All-America award winner. Large double deep red blooms. Extraordinary fragrance. At its best in areas with sunshine and warm weather. **Price \$1.50 each.**

### SHOW GIRL—(Plant Patent No. 646)

An abundance of beautiful perfect long buds of deep pink producing flowers on a long stem. Does well in any climate. **Price \$1.50 each.**

### SWEET SIXTEEN—(Plant Patent No. 631)

Beautiful pastel shades of pale pink and rose with a dash of gold. The long tight buds, half open blooms and large petaled flowers have perfect fragrance until the last petal drops. An Armstrong production. **Price \$1.50 each.**

### RUBAIYAT—(Plant Patent No. 758)

Brilliant red with a profusion of long graceful buds appearing early in June and continuing throughout the summer and into fall. Very fragrant. A Jackson and Perkins production. **Price \$2.00 each.**

### CRIMSON GLORY—(Plant Patent No. 105)

Beautiful formed blooms of deep vivid crimson, very long strong stems. Vigorous plants. The buds, deep red with an almost black tip, are urn-shaped and gradually unfold into full, high-centered blooms of perfect form. Very fragrant. A Jackson and Perkins production. **Price \$1.50 each.**

### MARY MARGARET McBRIDE—(Plant Patent No. 537)

Admired particularly for its perfect form. The deep pointed deep coral-pink buds open gradually into perfect high-centered exhibition quality blooms of clear deep pink with shimmering gold at the base of each petal. A Jackson and Perkins 1943 All-America winner. **Price \$1.50 each.**

### HEART'S DESIRE—(Plant Patent No. 501)

Rich scarlet blooms on long stems. One of the best dark red roses. Very fragrant. **Price \$1.50 each.**

### APRICOT QUEEN—(Plant Patent No. 464)

Orange and apricot at the base of the petals merge to a salmony rose. Good foliage, medium sized grower, heavy bloomer. **Price \$1.50 each.**

### MME. CHIANG KAI-SHEK—(Plant Patent No. 664)

Light canary yellow. Perfect flowers; tall, stately, with pleasing fragrance, has long lasting blooms. **Price \$1.50 each.**

# ORNAMENTAL & SHADE TREES

(Write for prices in quantity lots)

Ea.

## ASH, American White

6 to 8 ft. .... \$1.25

## BIRCH

Cut Leaf Weeping—Excellent lawn tree.

5 to 6 ft. .... 2.00

6 to 8 ft. .... 3.00

8 to 10 ft. .... 4.00

White—Tall spreading growth, white bark.

5 to 6 ft. .... \$1.50

6 to 8 ft. .... 2.00

## CATALPA

Speciosa—

5 to 6 ft. .... \$1.50

6 to 8 ft. .... 2.00

## CHERRY—Japanese Flowering—Parking strip-lawn.

3 to 4 ft. .... 1.50

4 to 5 ft. .... 1.75

Mt. Fuji—Double pure white blossoms in drooping clusters.

Kofugen—Double, dark pink.

Kwanzan—Double, rose-pink.

## JAPANESE—Japanese Weeping Cherry—Double or single pink blossoms. Lawn tree.

5 to 6 ft. stems .... 5.00

## CORNUS

Florida (White Flowering Dogwood)

3 to 4 ft. B. & B. .... 4.00

Florida Rubra— (Pink Flowering Dogwood)

3 to 4 ft. B. & B. .... 5.00

## CRAB—Flowering.

3 to 4 ft. .... \$1.50

4 to 5 ft. .... 2.00

Bechtel's—Pink flowering, dwarf growing.

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Norway green leaf, 6 o 8 ft. .... \$2.25

8 to 10 ft. .... 2.75

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8 to 10 ft. .... 3.00

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8 to 10 ft. .... 2.50

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5 to 6 ft. .... 1.75

## ORNAMENTAL &amp; SHADE TREES (Continued)

Ea.

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Russian—4 to 6 ft. .... 1.50

## FLOWERING PEACH—Red, pink and white.

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Thundercloud—Foliage deep reddish purple.

Triloba—Double, pink blossoms: dwarf bushy growth.

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Carolina—Rapid, spreading growth; green foliage.

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		Doz.
5 to 6 ft. ....	1.00	.90
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Fortunea upright bright yellow flowers	1.00	.90
<b>HONEYSUCKLE, Pink Tartarian</b>	1.00	.90
<b>HYDRANGEA—</b>	1.00	.90
PeeGee—Upright, white turning to shaded pink, August and September.		
<b>JAPAN QUINCE—Orange or Red</b>	1.00	.90
<b>KERRIA JAPONICA, Yellow, single flowers</b>	1.00	.90
<b>LILACS</b>		
Common, Purple and White	1.00	.90
Persian Purple	1.00	.90
French—budded	1.50	1.35
Belle de Nancy—Double, pinkish lavender.		
Charles Joly—Double dark reddish purple.		
Edith Cavell—Double, milk white.		
<b>SNOWBALL</b>		
Common	1.00	.90
Japanese—Showy white flowers in balls, June, handsome foliage, autumn coloring	1.00	.90
<b>SPIREA</b>	1.00	.90
Anthony Waterer—dwarf and bushy; dark pink.		
Arguta—medium height; white.		
Frobelli—similar to Anthony Waterer except taller.		
Prunifolia (Bridalwreath)—white flowers.		
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<b>SYRINGA (Mock Orange)</b>	1.00	.90
Common (Coronarius) large spreading bush; fragrant flowers.		
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Africana—lavender-pink, early blooming.		
Hispida—pink; August and September.		
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Rosea—pink flowers, upright		
Floribunda — red flowers; strong upright growing.		

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Bittersweet	1.00	.90
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DICENTRA SPECTABILIS, Bleeding Heart—		
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3 to 5 Eye Ea. 75c Per Doz. \$7.50

Officinalis Rubra—Earliest Red.

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BLUE PARROT—Bright violet, flushed steel blue, a very large flower on tall stem.

FANTASY—Salmon pink with green markings on outer petals. Inside salmon pink.

THERESE—Bright scarlet, very large flowers.

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12 Bulbs \$1.50

24 Bulbs \$2.75

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GRAND MAITRE—Fine deep porcelain blue. Very large well formed spike, excellent bedder.

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**EDITOR McFARLAND**—Shapely buds; double brilliant pink blooms.

**E. G. HILL**—Deep scarlet; large, double, lasting.

**ETOILE de HOLLANDE**—Dark velvety-red; large, fragrant and profuse.

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**FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI**—Most popular white rose; immense, lasting blooms.

**GENERAL McARTHUR**—Bright scarlet-crimson; fragrant.

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**GOLDEN RAPTURE**—Rich yellow; double; vigorous grower.

**GRENOBLE**—Scarlet-crimson; long-stemmed, beautifully shaped blooms.

**HINRICH GAEDE**—Bright vermillion, toned gold.

**HOOSIER BEAUTY**—Deep scarlet, darker shadings.

**IMPERIAL POTENTATE**—Large; deep rose-pink.

**JOANNA HILL**—Deep creamy yellow, shaded bronzy pink in center.

**KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA**—Soft pearly white, pale lemon center.

**LADY MARGARET STEWART**—Rich yellow, marked orange-red; double.

**LOS ANGELES**—Luminous flame pink, toned coral; golden base.

**McGREDY'S IVORY**—Creamy white; large, well-shaped, fragrant.

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**MRS. PIERRE S. DuPONT**—Rich yellow, double; free flowering.

**MRS. SAM McGREDY**—Orange-rose, full cupped blooms; long buds.

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**ROSE MARIE**—Rose-pink cupped flowers, long stems.

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## Briar

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## Polyantha

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**CLIMBING KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA**—white.

**CLIMBING LOS ANGELES**—Pink, suffused with gold.

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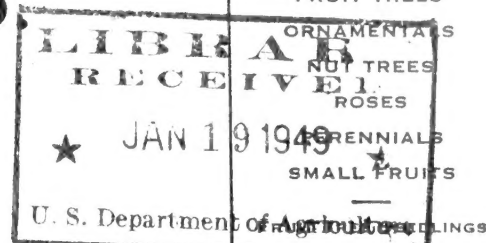
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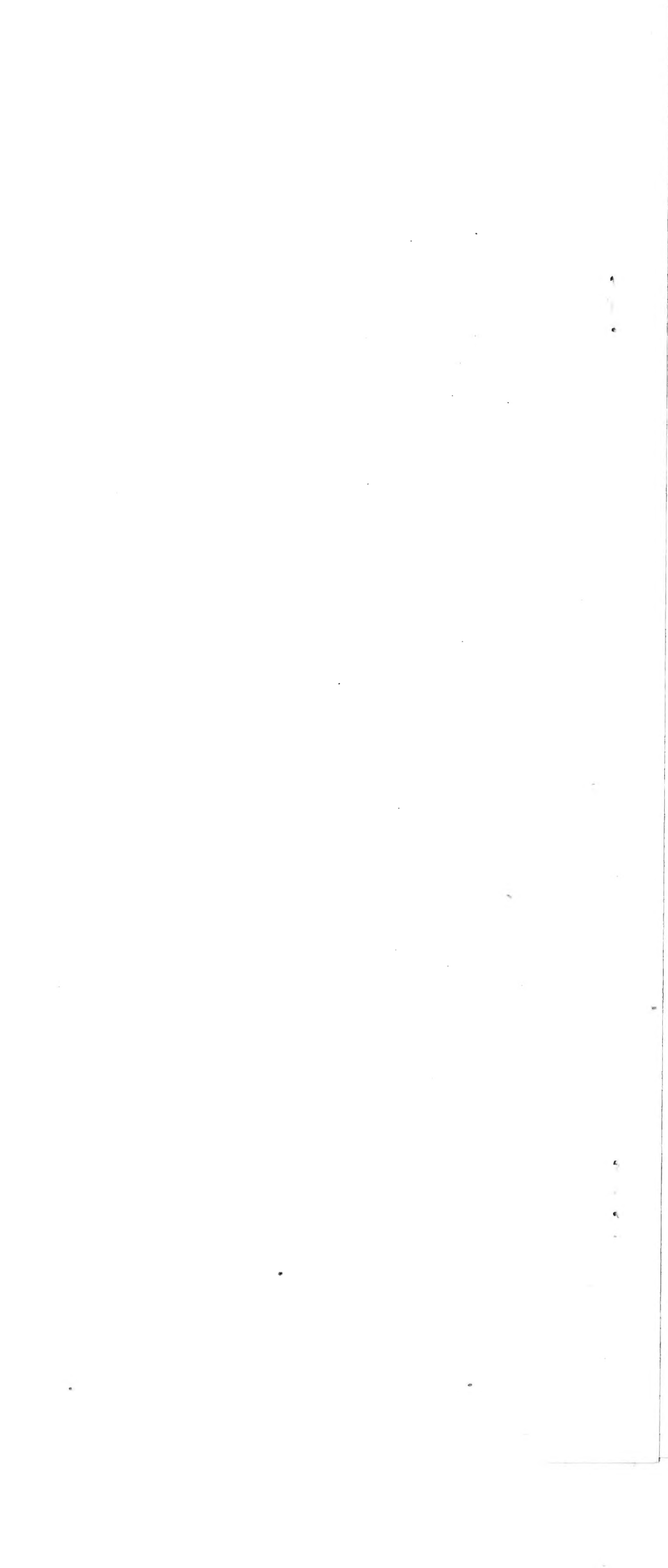
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# Planting Instructions

## GENERAL

**Do Not** use commercial fertilizer or barnyard manure in such manner that it comes in contact with roots.

**Do Not** expose roots to air.

It is beneficial to the trees or plants to immerse the roots in water before planting. Many failures of newly transplanted stock are due to lack of proper pruning. Follow pruning instructions given for each class of nursery stock. The holes for planting must be large enough to receive the roots freely without bending them from their natural position. All broken or mutilated portions of the roots should be cut off so as to leave the ends smooth. All trees and plants should be planted two inches deeper than they stood in the nursery row; **pack the soil firmly about the roots by tamping with the feet**, being careful not to bark or break the roots. Leave three inches of the surface soil loose to serve as a mulch. If the ground is very dry apply one or two pails of water before this soil mulch is in place and after the water has soaked away it can then be placed over the moist soil.

**FRUIT TREES.** Follow general planting instructions.

**Branched.** Select three or four of the best side branches, well-spaced so as to balance the tree. Prune these back one-third and cut off all other branches close to the trunk.

**Whips (without branches).** Trees having no side branches, cut off top just above a bud 24 to 36 inches from the ground.

**SHADE TREES.** Follow general planting instructions. Shade trees having a heavy top, at least one-third of the top area should be removed. Prune to avoid crowding the branches. Cut out some of the smaller branches and shorten back the side branches, but **do not cut off the leader or main stem.**

**ROSES.** Follow general planting instructions. Be sure that the bud is two inches below the ground. If the soil is dry, it is well to plant the rose solidly, then wet thoroughly and after the water has soaked away, throw up a small mound of earth five or six inches high around the plant. Then cut off the branches one inch

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above the mound, leaving it this way for ten days or two weeks, or until the buds start and show a desire to grow, when the dirt mound can be raked down. Roses handled in this manner seldom fail to make a good start and a very satisfactory growth.

**RASPBERRIES, BLACKBERRIES, YOUNG-BERRIES, LOGANBERRIES, BOYSENBERRIES and DEWBERRIES.** Follow general planting instructions. Cut back tops within six inches of the ground.

**BLUEBERRIES, CURRANTS and GOOSE-BERRIES.** Follow general planting instructions. These plants require no pruning until shoots begin to crowd, after several years.

**STRAWBERRIES.** Dip roots in water and plant immediately then irrigate or pour a pint of water around each plant. Plants are easier to handle if roots are sheared off a little, leaving them about four inches long.

**GRAPE VINES.** Follow general planting instructions. Prune back to one cane and cut this cane back to two or three buds.

**PRIVET** for hedges. Follow general planting instructions. Prune back to six to ten inches above the ground.

**EVERGREENS and BROADLEAF EVERGREENS.** These plants are dug with a ball of earth and wrapped in burlap. Dig the hole about six inches wider than necessary to receive the ball of earth; however they should not be planted any deeper than they stood in the nursery. Half fill the hole with good rich top-soil, pour in enough water to fill the hole so that it will wash the dirt solidly around the base of the ball. Straighten the plant up; cut the wrapping around the top of the ball, and fill in remainder of hole with dry soil, tamping down firmly. Leave a basin-like depression around the plant to facilitate absorption of water. Do not make a hill, as it compels the water to flow away from the plant. All evergreen plants need a mulch, which prevents evaporation of water in the soil. Peat moss is an excellent material for this purpose.

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